

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Hugh (nmi) Barrass et al.  
Serial No.: 10/033,044  
Filing Date: December 26, 2001  
Group Art Unit: 2668  
Examiner: Steven Blount  
Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ELIMINATING  
NEAR-END CROSSTALK IN A DIGITAL SUBSCRIBER  
LINE SYSTEM

**NOTIFICATION OF EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby takes an Extension of Time for responding to the Office Action dated March 3, 2006 for one (1) month from June 3, 2006 to July 3, 2006.

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Respectfully submitted,

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